### The Next Step

Great guidance for a great future



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### EDITOR'S NOTE

#### Dear Reader,

We would like to express our gratitude to all of you for your unwavering support and belief in our work. Thank you for being an integral part of our newsletter community. In this edition, we are excited to shed light on the vast integrated courses for science, Commerce and Humanities Streams, irrespective of any stream, students can pursue any integrated courses depending on their choice and their selection of courses to achieve their dreams.

You can complete a Master's along with undergraduate courses in India or abroad at the minimum budget. This newsletter would be focused more on courses, fees, the process of application, College details etc. with website details.

As always, we value your feedback and suggestions. If you have any better suggestions or ideas for future topics, please feel free to write to us at

careers@assamvalleyschool.com. Your input is crucial in ensuring that we continue to provide relevant and beneficial content to our readers.

Please note that this newsletter is intended to be informative and professional. We kindly request that you refrain from engaging in any conversational behavior. We aim to deliver succinct and relevant information without direct user interaction.

Once again, thank you for your continued support. We hope that this edition of our newsletter will prove to be a valuable resource for those interested in pursuing an integrated course.

Best regards, Devesh Prajapati MIC -The Next Step – Careers Newsletter

### Introduction

Integrated courses have emerged as innovative higher education in Indian universities and colleges. However, there often needs to be more clarity between integrated courses and dual degree programs among students. It's essential to understand the distinctions between these two options.

Integrated courses blend the qualifications of two fields into a single degree, whereas dual degree programs offer separate degrees for each subject. Prestigious institutions like IIMs and IITs have recently started introducing integrated courses. These courses serve as a bridge, allowing students to gain expertise in two fields. The integrated curriculum delves deep into both subjects, exploring their contents comprehensively.

#### **Understanding Integrated Courses After 12th:**

Integrated courses combine UG and PG-level subjects, offering BBA+ MBA, BCA+ MCA, BSc + MSc, and more. These programs typically span 5 years, one year less than pursuing UG and PG degrees separately. The course is structured into 10 equal semesters, ensuring a balanced and coordinated study of UG and PG level syllabi.

Skill Requirements for Integrated Courses After 12th: To secure admission in integrated courses, students must meet specific requirements that enhance their prospects in this field:

Candidates who are desirous to secure the integrated courses will need to be first qualified at the 10+2 level within the related fields of study. The passing score of candidates is also set to be acquired at the average level.

The time duration usually required to complete these courses is 5 years and can be extended or minimized based on the institute in which one is studying or based on the student's interest.

Based on the chosen field of study, students must hold certain skills that will be beneficial in continuing their career and at the academic level as well.

Some common skills that are recommended for every candidate are interpersonal, analytical, communication, numerical, time management skills, and so on. Candidates must have the integrity to accomplish their studies.

### Why to Study Integrated Course?

It gives you enough opportunities to explore after 12<sup>th</sup>, that is a big decision for you all. You want to choose something that will help you get the career you want, but you also want to make sure you're spending your time wisely. That's where Integrated Courses come in.

**Save Time:** Integrated courses are a smart way to get your undergraduate and postgraduate degrees faster. Instead of spending 5-6 years studying separately, you can get both degrees in 4-5 years. That's a whole year saved, which you could use to start working, get practical experience, or even travel!

**Cost-effective:** Because you're spending less time studying, you'll also spend less money on tuition fees. That means you can start earning sooner and have less student debt.

**Focused Learning:** Integrated courses are usually focused on one specific area, like engineering, law, or business. This means from day one, you're learning exactly what you need to know for your future career. There's no time wasted on subjects you're not interested in.

**Better Opportunities:** Many employers prefer candidates with postgraduate degrees. By doing an integrated course, you're giving yourself an edge in the job market. You'll be qualified for more opportunities, and you might even earn a higher salary.

**Seamless Transition:** With an integrated course, you don't need to worry about applying for a separate postgraduate course and going through the admission process all over again. You're already enrolled, so you can focus on your studies and your future.

**Develops Comprehensive Skills:** These courses are designed to give you a wide range of skills, both in your chosen field and in areas like communication and research. These can be very valuable when you start working.

Sources - <a href="https://www.virohan.com/blog/integrated-courses-after-12th">https://www.virohan.com/blog/integrated-courses-after-12th</a>

### **List of Integrated Courses**

Here's a list of some popular Integrated Courses available to students after completing their 12th grade:

S.no	Integrated Course	Duration
1.	BA + LLB	5 Years
2.	BCom + LLB	5 Years
3.	BTech + LLB	6 Years
4.	B. Ed + M. Ed	3 Years
5.	BSc + MSc	4 to 5 Years
6.	BSc + B. Ed	4 Years
7.	BCom + MBA	5 Years
8.	B.Pharm + M.Pharm	5 Years
9.	BE + ME	5 Years
10.	BBA + MBA	5 Years
11.	BTech + MS	5 Years
12.	BTech + MTech	5 Years
13.	BTech + MBA	5 Years
14.	BBA + LLB	5 Years

- **♣ BBA + LLB -** The BBA + LLB is a five-year program that combines the study of business and law. Students interested in pursuing a joint degree in business and law will find this subject an excellent starting point. BBA LLB graduates can find employment in various settings, from individual practices to public organizations. Corporate attorneys, contract lawyers, advisers, and other entry-level positions are all open to recent grads.
- **♣ BBA + MBA** BBA+ MBA integrated Programme is a four-year integrated programme that equips students with the knowledge and skills in business management and imparts knowledge of the principles which are necessary for a successful career in the corporate world. This programme solidifies the base for future Business and management career goals. A BBA+ MBA integrated degree enables candidates to enter into the field of management and teaches them various aspects that are necessary for effective business management. This programme is designed in a way to train students effectively in management education and communication skills which further inculcates entrepreneurship skills.

- **♣ B. Tech + MBA** The five-year B. Tech + MBA dual degree program focuses on academic and administrative training. The B. Tech + MBA dual degree programs in India give students the flexibility to focus on various areas of study. Admission to B. Tech + MBA in India can be completed online or in person. Some employment positions include HR Manager, Marketing Manager, Business Development Manager, Operations Manager, Business Analyst (IT), and more.
- ♣ BA + LLB The BA + LLB is a five-year curriculum that combines the study of law and legislation with the study of topics from the Arts branch (such as History, Economics, Political Science, etc.). Students who complete the BA LLB program will have a solid grounding in administration and law, making them well-equipped to take on various responsibilities within a company. BA + LLB graduates can go on to practice law, work as attorneys or legal advisers, or enter a related field.
- ♣ BCom + LLB is a five-year program combining law and commerce studies, focusing on commerce and business foundation subjects and various laws essential in the business world. Business, finance, accounting, business analytics, etc., are just some topics covered in the BCom LLB curriculum. Numerous career possibilities, including those as an advocate/lawyer, legal adviser, public prosecutor, etc., are available to BCom + LLB graduates.

# 5 Years integrated Courses after 12<sup>th</sup> Science

Name of the integrated course	Eligibility	Top Colleges
Integrated M.Sc. in Computer Science	10+2 (Science) Entrance Exam (Conducted by university)	<ul> <li>✓ NIIT University, Rajasthan;</li> <li>✓ Pondicherry University;</li> <li>✓ Coimbatore Institute of Technology; etc.</li> </ul>
Integrated M.Sc. in Biotechnology	10+2 (Science) Entrance Exam (Conducted by university)	<ul> <li>✓ Vellore Institute of Technology:</li> <li>✓ Savitribai Phule Pune University:</li> <li>✓ DY Patil Deemed to be University: etc.</li> </ul>
Integrated M.Sc. in Economics.	10+2 (Science) Entrance Exam (Conducted by university)	<ul> <li>✓ Shri Mata Vaishno Devi University;</li> <li>✓ IIT Kanpur:</li> <li>✓ BITS Pilani, Hyderabad Campus;</li> <li>✓ Pondicherry University; etc.</li> </ul>
Integrated M.Sc. in Mathematics	10+2 (Science) Entrance Exam (Conducted by university)	<ul> <li>✓ IIT Kanpur;</li> <li>✓ Pondicherry University;</li> <li>✓ IIT Bombay;</li> <li>✓ Lovely Professional University; etc.</li> </ul>
Integrated M.Sc. in Statistics.	10+2 (Science) Entrance Exam (Conducted by university)	<ul> <li>✓ Pondicherry University;</li> <li>✓ Vellore Institute of Technology;</li> <li>✓ MGM University;</li> <li>✓ Central University of Rajasthan; etc.</li> </ul>
B.Sc. L.L.B.	10+2 with science; entrance exams like CLAT or private	<ul> <li>✓ Gujarat National Law University;</li> <li>✓ Amity University, Mumbai;</li> <li>✓ National Forensic Sciences University, Gandhinagar; etc.</li> </ul>

(Note- Data has been collated by Team Careers 360)

# 5 Years integrated Courses after 12<sup>th</sup> Commerce

Name of the integrated course	Eligibility	Time	Top colleges
Integrated B. Com + LL.B	10+2 Commerce; entrance exams like CLAT or private	5 years	<ul> <li>✓ Amity University, Lucknow;</li> <li>✓ University of Petroleum and Energy Studies [UPES] Dehradun; etc.</li> </ul>
Integrated B. Com + CIMA (Chartered Institute of Management Accountants)	10+2 Entrance Exam (Conducted by University)	5 years	<ul> <li>✓ Symbiosis College of Arts and Commerce, Pune;</li> <li>✓ CMR University, Karnataka;</li> <li>✓ RV University, Bangalore; etc.</li> </ul>
Integrated BBA+MBA	10+2 Entrance Exam (Conducted by University)	4-5 years	<ul> <li>✓ Narsee Monjee Institute of Management Studies Mumbai;</li> <li>✓ Xavier University; Odisha</li> <li>✓ SRM Institute of Science and Technology Uttar Pradesh;</li> <li>✓ IIM Indore;</li> <li>✓ DAV Indore;</li> <li>✓ IIM Rohtak; etc.</li> </ul>
Integrated B. Com + CMA (Certified Management Accountant)	10+2 Entrance Exam (Conducted by university)	3-6 years	<ul> <li>✓ Impact Institute of Management Studies Bangalore;</li> <li>✓ Christ university;</li> <li>✓ Joseph's College of Commerce;</li> <li>✓ Srinivas University; Mangalore; etc.</li> </ul>
Integrated B. Com + ACCA (Association of Chartered Certified Accountants)	10+2 Entrance Exam (Conducted by university)	3-4 years	<ul> <li>✓ Srinivas University;</li> <li>✓ St Joseph College of Commerce;</li> <li>✓ Christ College, Pune;</li> <li>✓ DD College, Dehradun; etc.</li> </ul>

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# 5 Years integrated Courses after 12<sup>th</sup> Humanities

Name of the integrated course	Eligibility	Top colleges
B.A+M.A. English	10+2 Entrance Exam (Conducted by university)	<ul> <li>Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham, deemed to be University;</li> <li>University of Hyderabad;</li> <li>Central University of Karnataka (CUK);</li> <li>IIT Madras; etc.</li> </ul>
B.A+M.A History	10+2 Entrance Exam (Conducted by university)	<ul> <li>Central University of Karnataka (CUK);</li> <li>Pondicherry University;</li> <li>Annamalai University, Tamil Nadu;</li> <li>University of Hyderabad; etc.</li> </ul>
B.A+M.A Political Science	10+2 Entrance Exam (Conducted by university)	<ul> <li>Pondicherry University;</li> <li>Annamalai University, Tamil Nadu;</li> <li>University of Hyderabad; etc.</li> </ul>
B.A+M.A Sociology	10+2 Entrance Exam (Conducted by university)	<ul> <li>Pondicherry University;</li> <li>Annamalai University, Tamil Nadu;</li> <li>University of Hyderabad; etc.</li> </ul>
B.A LLB	10+2 Entrance Exam (Conducted by university)	<ul> <li>Banaras Hindu University (BHU);</li> <li>National Law School of India University - [NLSIU], Bangalore;</li> <li>National Law University - [NLU];</li> <li>Army Institute of Law; etc.</li> </ul>

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## Important Information for Classes 12<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>

UK College Admission Opened through UCAS app – Followings are the Important Dates. - <a href="https://www.ucas.com/">https://www.ucas.com/</a>

- ➤ 16 October 2023 18:00 (UK time) Deadline for applications to the universities of Oxford and Cambridge, and for most courses in medicine, dentistry, and veterinary medicine/science. Application can be sent after this, but universities and colleges concerned cannot guarantee they'll give it equal consideration.
- ➤ 31 January 2024 18:00 (UK time)- Deadline for most undergraduate courses and most conservatoire undergraduate dance, drama, or musical theatre courses. Applications can be sent after this, but providers cannot guarantee they'll give it equal consideration.
- ➤ 8 Feb 2024 Extra opens. If your child has used all five choices and is not holding an offer, they can add another choice using Extra.
- ➤ 30 June 2024 18:00 (UK time) Last date for receipt of applications with choices. Applications received after this deadline are automatically entered into <u>Clearing</u>.

USA College Application Opened through – Common App Important link - <a href="https://www.commonapp.org/apply/first-year-students">https://www.commonapp.org/apply/first-year-students</a>

UCEED Application - <a href="https://uceedapp.iitb.ac.in/UCEED/home.jsp">https://uceedapp.iitb.ac.in/UCEED/home.jsp</a> Important dates -

Activity	Date
Start date for Online Registration	October 03, 2023, 01:00 pm
Last date for Online Registration with regular fee	October 31, 2023
Last date for Online Registration with late fee	November 08, 2023
Start date for Admit Card downloading	January 05, 2024, 01:00 pm
Last date for rectification of discrepancies in Admit card	January 11, 2024, 05:00 pm
UCEED 2024: date and time of exam	January 21, 2024 (Sunday) 09:00 am to 12:00 noon

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